

REMARKS

This is intended as a full and complete response to the Non-Compliant Amendment, dated February 4, 2004, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on March 4, 2004, regarding the Response to Office Action filed, December, 17, 2003. Please reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below.

The Examiner states that the Response to Office Action was a non-compliant amendment since cancelled claims contained the text of the claims 1-20. The Applicant is submitting a corrected Claims section to replace the Claims section of the Response to Office Action.

Having addressed all issues set out in the office action, Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance and respectfully request that the claims be allowed.

Respectfully submitted,



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